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RESIDENTIAL FIRE

3361 Steve Road #4 (Harmony Park Apartments)





MEMPHIS, TN - The Memphis Fire Department responded to an alarm of fire at 3361 Steve Road, Saturday, January 2, 2021 at 10:19 p.m. Upon arrival on the scene, firefighters reported fire visible from the two-story wood frame apartments. Twenty (20) pieces of Fire/Rescue/EMS equipment and approximately fifty-one (51) emergency response personnel ultimately responded to the call. Division Chief P. Dix was the commanding officer of this incident. The fire was brought under control at 11:52 p.m. There were no firefighter or civilian injuries.

It has been determined that the residence **did have** a working smoke alarm. Five (5) units sustained smoke, fire and/or water damage. Total damage is estimated at \$100,000.00 structure and \$10,000.00 contents. The origin and cause of the fire was determined to be intentionally set in multiple locations in the interior of the structure. Red Cross provided assistance for three (3) adults.

The Memphis Fire Department urges all citizens to maintain a working smoke alarm in their place of residence. Check smoke alarms once a month and change the battery when you change your clocks. City of Memphis residents may apply for a **free smoke alarm** by calling the Fire Museum of Memphis at (901) 636-5650 or apply online at: https://www.memphistn.gov/government/fire-department/free-smoke-alarm-application/. Always have a plan of escape in case there is a fire. Also remember that 9-1-1 is for emergencies only. For all other FIRE/EMS NON-EMERGENCY issues please dial (901) 458-8281.